HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 1174

By Harrison

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Sharon Marie Nicole Smith, 2010 Top Twelve Graduate of Volunteer High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Sharon Marie Nicole Smith is one such exceptional student, who was recently named a Top Twelve Graduate of the 2010 graduating class at Volunteer High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ms. Smith has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Sharon Smith has earned an exemplary grade point average, while participating in several extracurricular and civic activities, including Beta Club, Key Club, Science Bowl, Basketball, Marching Band, and Winter Guard; and

WHEREAS, in recognition of her singular academic achievements, Ms. Smith has received numerous awards and honors, including Honors English Awards, the Honors Biology Award, and the U.S. Government Award; and

WHEREAS, Sharon Smith's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success at Northeast State Community College; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Smith's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Kim Fugate, John Fugate, and Ralph Smith; her school; and her community; and

WHEREAS, her dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2010 Volunteer High School Top Twelve Graduate, Shannon Marie Nicole Smith, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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